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Akers, Arnie and McKinley Dailey	Grand Theater, Inc./Garrard Historical Society	The Grand Theater is continuing to make progress, and the goal is to finish the renovation by this year, though it may take longer. The next quarterly meeting for the Historical Society, open to both members and the public, will be held on June 21, covering Model A and Model T cars. Historical Society hours are 12-4 pm, Monday - Friday.
Alexander, Linda	Herrington Lake Conservation League	Herrington Lake experienced historical levels of flooding in May, the water being only three feet from going over the spillway. Upcoming events include a pig roast, silent auction, and corn hole tournament on August 7 and a golf outing September 22.
Arnold, Richard	Garrard County Fair and Lancaster Planning and Zoning	
Baierlein, Priscilla and Teresa Leslie	Rural Heritage Tobacco Festival	The festival is being revamped. It will be an end of August 4-day event including a car show.  Go to <a href="http://www.ruralheritagetobaccofestival.com">www.ruralheritagetobaccofestival.com</a> and the facebook page for more details regarding events.
Bivelacque, Shari	T.E.A.C.H.	Earth Day. Approach T.E.A.C.H. for any help.
Carrier, Jeanne	Up with Youth	
Cox, Pattie	<i>Garrard Central Record</i>	<a href="http://www.garrardcentralrecord.com">www.garrardcentralrecord.com</a>
Davis, Mary Adrienne	Garrard County Schools	
Dickson, Lee	Garrard Historical Society	
Donkin, Kathryn	T.E.A.C.H. and Graphic Design Services	
Edgington, Tracey	Farm Bureau Federation	
Gladfelter, Skip and Sandy	Garrard Tourism	
Goins, Jean	Annual Arts and Crafts Bazaar at Up With Youth building	
Hixon, Mary	UK Cooperative Extension Service	Barn quilt hangings are ongoing, including one to put at the Owsley House.
Hobbs, Thomas and Amy Cloud	Garrard County Chamber of Commerce	The fundraiser in Paint Lick brought in about \$1,000 to go to flood recovery. The Chamber is taking solicitations for 4th of July fireworks and is open to additional sponsors. A weekly email goes out every Thursday afternoon from <a href="mailto:garrardchamber@gmail.com">garrardchamber@gmail.com</a> . Sign up for updates at <a href="http://www.garrardcounty.ky.gov/Chamber+of+Commerce">www.garrardcounty.ky.gov/Chamber+of+Commerce</a>

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Hurte, Mark	Garrard Human Society C.A.R.E.S	<p>June 11 at 6:00pm meet at 214 Richmond Street:- Join CKYRHS/GHSC.A.R.E.S.'s "Bark The Cure" team &amp; walk with your Forever Friend to join up for the walkers in the Garrard Co Relay For Life. The Bark the Cure team will be walking the green space of the Garrard Co High School &amp; joining the walking teams for the final lap in the parking lot. Remember to "OOPs Please SCOOP" when it comes to appropriate dog walking, so please bring a Forever Friend convenience bag. Extras will be on hand.</p> <p>June 23 at 9am until ?:- Help Clean Up Logan Hubble Park with CKYRHS/GHSC.A.R.E.S. &amp; the Heart of United Way for their "Annual Day of Caring."</p> <p>June 27 from 1pm until 6pm:- CKYRHS/GHSC.A.R.E.S.'s "Bark at the Park" a premiere animal expo event. Bring your best Forever Friend &amp; a hearty appetite to help make ADOPTION the OPTION. Rabies vaccinations provided by Woodstock Animal Clinic, Dr Wimpy, DVM administering on site Feline &amp; Canine Rabies vaccinations; exhibitor booths; adoption groups; Garrard Co Dog License available on site; animal communicator, Latifa will be providing insights &amp; intuitions for animals present &amp; past, please bring a photo of your beloved Forever Friend that has past if you would like to have her provide her reading; Paula Sparrow, author of Creature Comforts from Kentucky Living will speak &amp; sign copies of her book; plus the Forever Friends of Central KY Regional Humane Society, Inc. &amp; Garrard Humane Society C.A.R.E.S. will be there to serve up food &amp; fun.</p> <p>June 3, 10, 17, &amp; 24 from 6pm until 8pm:- "Grilln' n Chilln' Thursday Nights" Enjoy a Pot Luck cook out with the Forever Friends who will be grilling out the hot dogs &amp; the hamburgers. Bring a side dish to add to the fun &amp; food. The Garrard Co Animal Control Shelter will be on hand with shelter pets in need of adoption.</p>
Jackson, Mike	Ephraim McDowell	Open Monday-Saturday at 189 Farra Drive in Lancaster.
Land, David	Garrard Industrial Development Authority	The IDA is looking at prospects for the Industrial Park and pleased with Mine Shields coming to Garrard County.
Lane, Terri	Partners for Progress and Garrard County Band Boosters	<p>The Garrard Co Band Boosters will be providing concessions at the Owsley House for "Come Sit A Spell" on Saturday June 5, 2010 from 4-8pm. We are selling meal tickets in advance for \$5 which will include a hamburger/cheeseburger or hot dog, chips, baked beans, cole slaw, and choice of drink (bottled water, tea, or lemonade). Please contact Terri Lane @ 859 509 6917 to get your tickets. We will also be selling pop and baked goods before and after the meal. Finally, we are also participating in the auction with a chair entitled "Kentucky-1800" which was designed and completed by Mitch Ames. Thank you for your continued support of the Garrard Co. Marching Band.</p>
Little, Nancy	Owsley House	

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Long, Kristin	Garrard County Arts Council	Come Sit a Spell will be held June 5th, 4:00-8:00 pm. There will be an auction, music, and food for sale. Chair decoration and preview will be June 4th and tickets are for sale. Party on the Square will include a Garrard Renaissance Art Project and a paint by number community painting.
McPherson, Dave	Pastor of First Baptist Church	
McQuerry, Glenda	Barn Quilts Herb Club	Barn Quilt completed and the Owsley House has a project to put up a family quilt. Herb Club will be going on a farm tour and organic picnic June 19 to the organic Rolling Fork Farm. The group will meet and leave from the Extension Office at 10 am.
McWilliams, Laura	Garrard County Public Library	The Library is sponsoring a free summer reading program for children and teenagers that will offer prizes for reading the required number of books and include multiple special programs. Sign up begins June 1st and ends June 25th.  June 9: Leigh Anne Florence and Woody the Kentucky Wiener Dog. 9:15-11:45 am  June 10: Doug Doolin Magician 1:00 pm  June 14 and 16: Enviroscape Presentation by Kathy Simpson  June 14: "Water and the Healthy Child" 10:00, 11:00 am, and 1:00 pm. Free water bottle for participants.  June 23: Ronald McDonald, 1:00 pm  June 30: Slade Reptile Zoo, 1:00 pm  Go to <a href="http://garrardpublib.state.ky.us">garrardpublib.state.ky.us</a> or call 859-792-3424 for more information.
Messenger, Deborah	Paint Lick Sportsman's Club	June 4: Volunteer Work Day, 9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. Join the Paint Lick Sportsman's Club (PLSC) as we continue the process of partial demolition of the PLSC flood-damaged building. This Volunteer Day will take place rain or shine. Wear sturdy shoes and work clothes. Bring a sack lunch. Bottled water will be provided. Volunteers should call, 859-619-0334 to sign-up. June 12: Paint Lick SOS Yard Sale, 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. Are your closets overflowing? Tired of falling over all those "things" in the garage or basement? Ready for a yard sale, but you live outside of town? Come out and join us for the 4th annual SOS (Start of Summer) Yard Sale! It's a great opportunity to meet your Garrard County neighbors while buying and selling treasures! There will be free booth space available through Paint Lick. Consider setting-up your yard sale tables across from the Friends of Paint Lick Building, or along Old Railroad Grade Road. Friends of Paint Lick will hold its own sidewalk sale and provide a light lunch with a free-will donation. For more information call 859-925-2203 or 859-619-0334.
Mick, Nathan	Garrard Economic Development	Work continues on several projects. We should have two or three excellent new business announcements in 2010.
Miller, Roger	Farmers Bank	

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Morris, Maggie	Lancaster City Council	Come Sit a Spell will be held June 5th, 4:00-8:00 pm. There will be an auction, music, and food for sale. Chair decoration and preview will be June 4th and tickets are for sale.
Napier, Lonnie	KY State Rep.	The State budget passed. The highway is on schedule and there should be more construction by 2011.
Nicholson-Messmer, Kim	Bluegrass P.R.I.D.E.	Check out the BGP website to vote for your favorite barrel. After the June 5th reception, visit the site to bid and win one for greening your home or business and conserve water. <a href="http://www.bgpride.org/">http://www.bgpride.org/</a> PRIDE will roll out the rain barrels with a reception at Lexington Green on June 5 from 5:30-7:30. 2. Through the ARC ( Appalachian Regional Commission, ) Grant received with Ben Chandler's help, PRIDE is able to help with flood clean up efforts. Please call office. 3. Education information on website. Educators and Schools call office about Resource Library. 4. Waste Reduction, Litter, Water Quality, Lawn Care, Report a Litter Bug, Energy Conservation, Household Hazardous Waste, rain gardens , battery and cell phone recycling. 5. Help with Community events Litter education and clean up help. 6. Grants awarded: 1. Garrard County Farmers Market received a beautification projects grant to plant native on roadside entrances to city 2. ARC GRANTS Cleanup of Herrington Lake within Garrard County (\$20,000) A 2.7 mile walking/nature trail in the City of Lancaster (\$20,000)
Overman, Jay	CSEPP	The annual exercise will take place on June 9th to provide a measurement of the level of readiness each county and state have. CSEPP has a new chairlift as part of equipment modernization and is upgrading radio communications as well in an effort to achieve inter-operability across jurisdictions in Kentucky and across the USA.
Overman, Kirby	Farmer's Market	The Farmer's Market will start up June 5th at Chevrolet Garage in Lancaster and there will be 17 or 18 vendors.
Pollom, Bill	Farmers National Bank	
Powell, Donna	Relay for Life	A yard and bake sale was held on Friday, May 21st. All proceeds went to Relay for Life.
Rinthen, Don	Mayor of Lancaster	The Phase II water project is finishing and Phase III will begin in June.
Rinthen, Loretta	Light up Lancaster Jazz Concert	

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Ruda, Pam	Lancaster Woman's Club	Lancaster Woman's Club will be serving the meal again this year at the Jazz Concert at the Owsley House in August. The Lancaster Woman's Club donated to the following organizations: Battle of Lancaster, Library, Owsley House, Project Graduation, Back-Pack Program and Lancaster Christian Church.
Rodes, Julie	Owsley House	
Sears, Deronda	Garrard Adult Education	
Sefcak, Karla	Beautify Garrard County/Party on the Square/Garrard Tourism	Party on the Square will be June 18, and they are requesting 5 volunteers in the hot dog stand. Those interested in helping, please call 859-792-6704. There are 61 co-hosts.
Simpson, Kathy	Garrard County Conservation District	The Natural Resources Conservation Service worked to get national money to make flood repairs under the Emergency Conservation Program. Farmers may qualify for an assistance program to provide compensation for livestock lost in the flood.
Simpson, Margaret	Garrard County Historical Society	Historical Society hours are 12-4 pm, Monday - Friday. <a href="http://www.garrardhistoricalsociety.i8.com/">http://www.garrardhistoricalsociety.i8.com/</a> .
Suttles, Libby	Heart of Kentucky United Way	Heart of Kentucky Day of Action is on June 23. Register at <a href="http://www.hkuw.org">www.hkuw.org</a> . Breakfast, snacks, lunch, and a t-shirt will be provided. Goals include engaging more youth and families, planting a community garden and spotlighting volunteer recognition which has traditionally taken place at the annual banquet. Last year, 600 volunteers tackled 56 projects including home repairs, environmental causes, bowling (just ask), and historical restoration.
Taubert, Sherry	Lancaster Higher Education Center	New classes have been added. Partnering in adult education. Contact by phone at 859-792-1513 or by email at <a href="mailto:lhec@eku.edu">lhec@eku.edu</a>
Byron Teater	Battle of Lancaster	To date, 35 people have pre-registered for the event at the fairgrounds. BOL is \$1,500 short on funds.
Thomason, Chris	Garrard Solid Waste	
Turner, Jean	Garrard Arts Council	Pattie A. Clay partnership will feature student artwork. More events include a Historical Mural Project, membership drives, banners in downtown and a seasonal banner.
Turner, Maria	Farmer's Market	
Walton, Dee	Rural Heritage Festival	
Williams, Jill	Pattie A. Clay	Pattie A. Clay Regional Medical Center Garrard County Blood Drive 436 Richmond Street Lancaster, KY Tuesday, July 6, 2010 11:00 – 2:00 p.m. You can make an appointment in advance by calling 1-800-775-2522 or visiting <a href="http://www.kybloodcenter.org">www.kybloodcenter.org</a> .

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Wilson, John	Garrard County Judge/Executive	The Judicial Center is expanding from 10,000 to 43,000 square feet with a target of end of year completion. FEMA Business and Individual assistance is available. Highway 27 is progressing. The Camp Dick portion may open by the end of year.
Whitaker, Carolyn	AARP and Cooperative Parish	AARP held a recent canned food fundraiser. There will be a Mature Driving Class, a classroom refresher course for drivers 50 and over on June 28 and 29 8:30 am to 1:00 pm at the FSNB Community Room at the Public Square. The cost is \$12 for members and \$14 for non-members. For more info or to register, call Jerian Shaw at 859-625-3446. The Cooperative Parish recently broke ground for a new building.
Young, Shane	Lancaster Rotary International	